FY2001 YOUTHBUILD AWARD GRANTEES

WASHINGTON

Applicant	City	Awarded
King County Department of Community & Human Services	Seattle	\$500,000.00

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The King County Department of Community and Human Services will receive a Youthbuild (YB) Implementation grant in the amount of \$400,000. This is the third time the organization has received YB funding.

King County Department of Community and Human Services will recruit applicants for the YB program from Seattle's Enterprise Community and the State designated White Center Community Empowerment Zone. Their recruitment efforts are targeted to attract a group of young people ages 16-24, 75% of which are high school dropouts and are a member of very low-income families.

The program will provide a comprehensive and integrated effort to increase the academic, leadership, and vocational skill level of trainees. The 100 selected participants will also be learning on-site construction skills by working to construct four single family residences.

The total cost of the YouthBuild program is \$1,347, 816. Cash and in-kind leveraging resources total \$947,816 in support of this program.

Key partners/contributing organizations include: South Seattle Community College Seattle Public Schools

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